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Riesel Wins in OPC Balloting



New OPC President

In a close race, *Victor Riesel* was voted in as next year's OPC president.

His vote was 427, against the 418 vote of his competitor, *Ralph Jules Frantz*.

The three vice-presidents elected for the next term are *Joseph Newman*, first with 595 votes, *William Laurence*, second with 586 votes and *Hal Lehrman* third with 567. *Mary Hornaday* elected secretary, 422 votes; *George Bookman*, 407.

Six governors elected were *Will Oursler*, 450 votes; *Morgan Beatty*, 438; *Henry Gellermann*, 381; *Allan Jackson*, 320; *Larry Blochman*, 317; and *Elmer Lower*, 315.

First alternate is *Cornell Capa*, who polled 314 votes; second, *Irene Kuhn*, with 298; third, *Anita Diamant Berke*, with 288, and fourth, *William Brooks*, with 268.

Results were read at Wednesday night's Annual Meeting and posted downstairs immediately afterward.

It was noted at the meeting that *Lehrman's* vacancy as a governor (his term has another year) would move up the first alternate. This would be effected by the Board of Governors at its next meeting.